

California OES Weather Threat Briefing

Tuesday, July 21, 2020
9:00 AM PDT

- **Day 1 (Tuesday):** Critical fire weather conditions for portions of northeast California this afternoon where thunderstorms may bring new fire starts as well as gusty, erratic winds. Low to moderate heat impacts continue for Inland and Southern Regions.

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WEATHER KEY POINTS

07/21/20 - 07/27/20

Tuesday-Wednesday

- Low to moderate heat impacts continue, especially for Inland and Southern regions. The warmest temperatures, compared to normal, will be over northern California this afternoon.
- Critical fire conditions forecast today for portions of northeast California, where thunderstorms may spark new fire starts and also produce gusty and erratic winds.
- Fire weather conditions may again become critical Wednesday afternoon for portions of northeast California due to additional thunderstorms.

Thursday-Monday

- Much more typical temperatures return from midweek through the weekend, greatly reducing the heat risk
- Isolated thunderstorms will continue over the central and southern Sierra Thursday through Sunday, but are expected to diminish in coverage through the weekend.



CALIFORNIA WEATHER IMPACTS

07/21/20 - 07/27/20

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds		Southern	Southern				
Snow							
Coastal Flooding							
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	Inland	
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	Southern	Southern	Southern				
Heat Risk	Inland/ Southern						
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



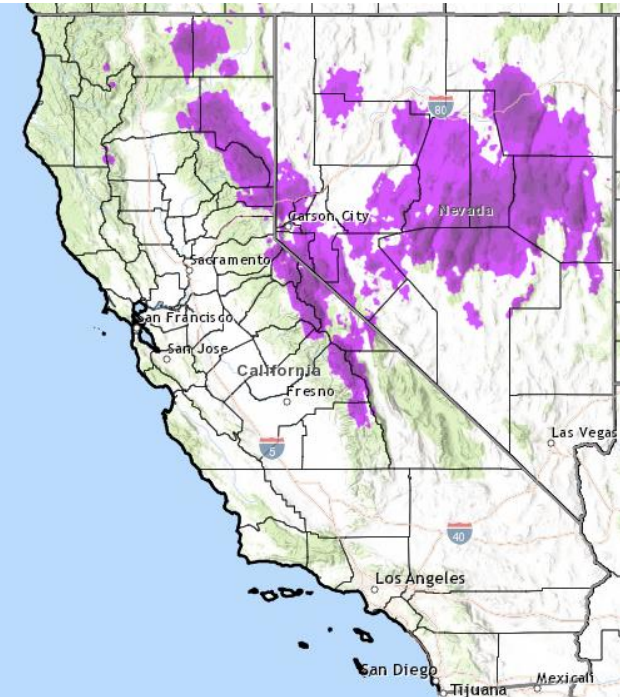
Moderate Impacts



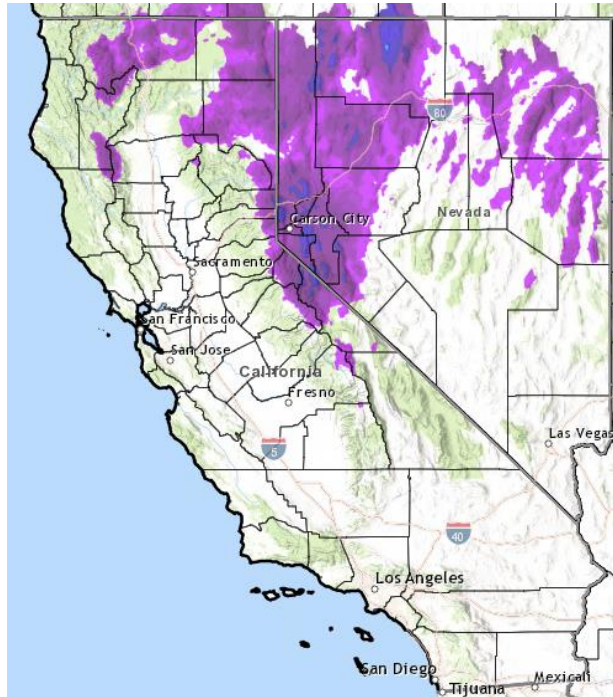
Severe Impacts

PRECIPITATION FORECAST

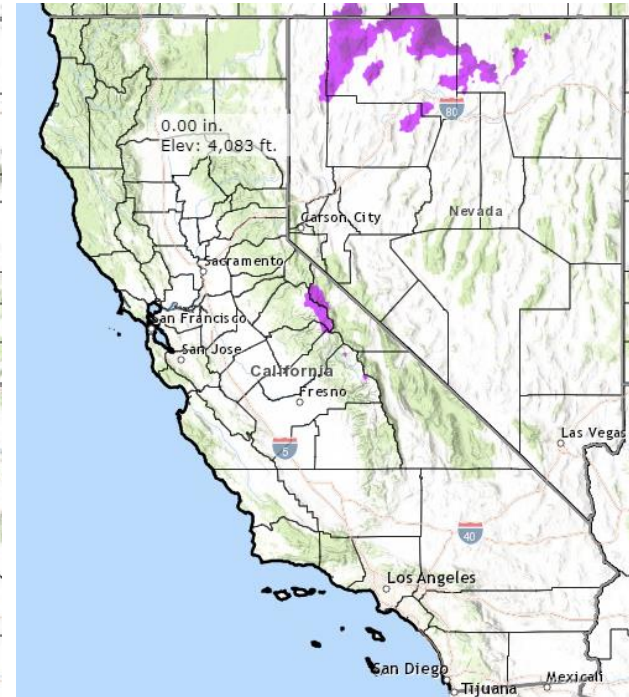
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Tuesday



Wednesday



Thursday

Precipitation (inches)



WEATHER OUTLOOK

07/26/20 - 08/03/20

6-10 Day Outlook (July 26 – July 30)

Temperatures

- Near to slightly above normal temperatures expected statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation favored statewide

8-14 Day Outlook (July 25 – August 3)

Temperatures

- Above normal temperatures favored statewide

Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation favored statewide



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